

**RESPONSE TO FREEDOM OF  
INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) / PRIVACY  
ACT (PA) REQUEST**

2004-0226

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RESPONSE  
TYPE ☐ FINAL ☒ PARTIAL

REQUESTER

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DATE

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**PART I. -- INFORMATION RELEASED**

- ☐ No additional agency records subject to the request have been located.
- ☐ Requested records are available through another public distribution program. See Comments section.
- ☒ **APPENDICES**  
**B** Agency records subject to the request that are identified in the listed appendices are already available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room.
- ☒ **APPENDICES**  
**A** Agency records subject to the request that are identified in the listed appendices are being made available for public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room.
- ☐ Enclosed is information on how you may obtain access to and the charges for copying records located at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW, Washington, DC.
- ☒ **APPENDICES**  
**A** Agency records subject to the request are enclosed.
- ☐ Records subject to the request that contain information originated by or of interest to another Federal agency have been referred to that agency (see comments section) for a disclosure determination and direct response to you.
- ☒ We are continuing to process your request.
- ☐ See Comments.

**PART I.A -- FEES**

AMOUNT \*

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- ☐ You will be billed by NRC for the amount listed. ☐ None. Minimum fee threshold not met.
- ☐ You will receive a refund for the amount listed. ☒ Fees waived.

\* See comments  
for details**PART I.B -- INFORMATION NOT LOCATED OR WITHHELD FROM DISCLOSURE**

- ☐ No agency records subject to the request have been located.
- ☐ Certain information in the requested records is being withheld from disclosure pursuant to the exemptions described in and for the reasons stated in Part II.
- ☐ This determination may be appealed within 30 days by writing to the FOIA/PA Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001. Clearly state on the envelope and in the letter that it is a "FOIA/PA Appeal."

**PART I.C COMMENTS (Use attached Comments continuation page if required)**

The records identified on enclosed Appendix C are copyrighted and are, therefore, not included in this response. Please contact the NRC Public Document Room on (301) 415-4737 or (800) 397-4209 to make arrangements to review the records.

SIGNATURE - FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT AND PRIVACY ACT OFFICER

Russell A. Nichols

**APPENDIX A**  
**RECORDS BEING RELEASED IN THEIR ENTIRETY**

<u>NO.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION/(PAGE COUNT)</u>
1.	No date	Handout from the 2/14/04 meeting of the National Academies Board on Radioactive Waste Management: Draft Statement on Realism - Using Unrealistic Premises Gives Predictions that are Not Merely Conservative They Are Simply Wrong. 12 pages
2.	No date	Handout from the 2/14/04 National Academies meeting: The National Academies Project Announcement - Committee on Safety and Security of Commercial Nuclear Spent Fuel Storage Board on Radioactive Waste Management. 1 page
3.	02/12/03	Viewgraphs - Safety and security of spent nuclear fuel storage at U.S. nuclear power plants. 19 pages
4.	02/27/03	E-mail R. Palla, NRR, to G. Kelly, et al., Re: Thadani SFP memo (1 page)
5.	04/18/03	Letter from Harold Feiveson to Chairman Diaz, with attached 4/18/03 letter to Commissioner McGaffigan regarding article in "Science and Global Security. 3 pages <b>NOTE: The attachment is copyrighted and identified on Appendix B</b>
6.	August/03	NRC Fact Sheet: NRC Review of Paper on Reducing Hazards From Stored Spent Nuclear Fuel. 8 pages
7.	08/07/03	Memo from Annette Vietti-Cook to William Travers regarding COMSECY-03-0019 - Review of the Paper "Reducing the Hazards from Stored Spent Power Reactor Fuel in the U.S.," Robert Alvarez, et al, January 31, 2003. 7 pages
8.	10/07/03	E-mail C. Li, NRR, to S. Jones, NRR, Re: Spent fuel vulnerability (1 page)
9.	10/07/03	E-mail S. Jones, NRR, to C. Tinkler, RES, Re: Fwd: Spent fuel vulnerability (1 page)
10	12/12/03	E-mail T. Greenleaf, NAS, Re: Presentations from December 3 BRWM Meeting are now...(1 page)
11	01/28/04	E-mail M. Rubin, NRR, to D. Solorio, R. Palla, NRR, Re: Fwd: Status of NUREG-1738 w/att e-mails (4 pages)
12.	01/29/04	E-mail G. Kelly, NRR, to M. Rubin, NRR, Re: Fwd: Status of NUREG-1738 (1 page)

13. 01/29/04 E-mail T. Greenleaf, NAS, Re: Committee on Safety & Security of Commercial Spent Nuclear Fuel Storage (2 pages)
14. 01/30/04 E-mail S. Jones, NRR, to S. Dembek, NRR, Re: Fwd: Status of NUREG-1738 (1 page)
15. 01/30/04 E-mail D. Solorio, NRR, to S. Dembek, NRR, Re: Fwd: How does this sound? w/att 01/30/04 e-mail T. Marsh, NRR, to C. Mullins, OGC (2 pages)
16. 02/03/04 E-mail T. Greenleaf, NAS, Re: Committee on Safety & Security of Commercial Spent Nuclear Fuel Storage (3 pages)
17. 02/04/04 E-mail from Charles Mullins to David Solorio and Meena Khanna providing comments on letter to Mr. Shadis regarding NUREG-1738, with attached draft letter. 4 pages
18. 02/04/04 E-mail G. Kelly, NRR, to S. Black, NRR, Re: Fwd Correction: NAS Pre-brief (1 page)
19. 02/04/04 E-mail G. Kelly, NRR, to S. Black, NRR, Re: Fwd: Updated Agenda (1 page)
20. 02/04/04 E-mail G. Kelly, NRR, to S. Black, NRR, Re: Fwd: EDO Pre-brief (1 page)
21. 02/05/04 E-mail T. Greenleaf, NAS, Re: Committee Meeting: Safety & Security of Commercial Nuclear Spent Fuel Storage/Agenda (2 pages)
22. 02/12/04 Viewgraphs: NRC Perspectives on Spent Fuel Storage by Farouk Eltawila. 14 pages
23. 02/23/04 E-mail G. Kelly, NRR, to C. Tinkler, RES, Re: 2nd NAS mtg (1 page)
24. 02/24/04 E-mail G. Kelly, NRR, to C. Tinkler, RES, Re: Preliminary agenda (1 page)
25. 03/14/04 E-mail K. Crowley, NAS, Re: National Academies Spent Fuel Storage Committee (1 page)
26. 03/29/04 E-mail K. Crowley, NAS, Re: Changes to Committee on Safety & Security of Commercial Spent Nuclear Fuel Storage (2 pages)
27. 04/06/02 E-mail G. Kelly, NRR, to R. Palla, NRR, Re: Fwd: Briefing on SFP analysis (1 page)
28. 04/15/04 E-mail R. Palla, NRR, to M. Rubin, NRR, Re: Comments on SNL Vulnerability Analysis (1 page)

APPENDIX B  
RECORD ALREADY AVAILABLE IN THE PDR

<u>NO.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>ACCESSION NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION/(PAGE COUNT)</u>
1.	02/18/04	ML040480079	Ltr H. Berkow, NRR, to R. Shadis, Re: Response to facsimile and e-mail dtd 01/21/04 (5 pages)

APPENDIX C  
COPYRIGHTED RECORDS

<u>NO.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>DOCUMENT DESCRIPTION/PAGE COUNT</u>
1.	2003	Articles from Science & Global Security. 27 pages
2.	2003	Per Peterson original review of "Reducing the hazards from stored spent power-reactor fuel in the United States" by Robert Alvarez, et. al., from Science & Global Security. 69 pages